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NOTE: Most items in this Bulletin are from the mail we receive on a regular basis. We simply pass this information along to you for your interest.

EVENTS, CONFERENCES, JOBS, NEWS OF INTEREST

**SDEB EVENTS**

**SdeB Research Seminar:** Research fellows attending the Biography-Autobiography Workshop are reminded that the first meeting will be held on Friday, October 29 at 9:30 a.m. in the Institute's lounge.

**November 9 at 7:30 a.m.:** The SdeB will host a breakfast for Mary Eberts prior to the Convocation ceremony. She will give a talk on "Speaking Courage: The Native Women's Association of Canada and the Charlottetown Accord Referendum." We need your attendance confirmation by Thursday, November 4. Call 2373/2372.

**EVENTS**

**Public Lecture**

Univ. of Alberta French prof. Robert Wilcocks will discuss his latest book, *Maelzel's Chess Player: Sigmund Freud and the Rhetoric of Deceit* on Thursday, November 4 from 18:00-20:00 at the Faculty Club in the Hall Bldg.

**Native Awareness Days**

October 18-20, 1993 are designated Native Awareness Days at Concordia. Crafts, books, lectures and panel discussions will be held on the Mezzanine level of the Hall Bldg and at the D.B. Clarke Theatre.

**Environmental Symposium**

Concordia will host an Environment Symposium on the theme "Is Our Moral Environment Protected?" October 26-28 at the Loyola Campus. Participants include Supreme Court of Canada judge Charles Gonthier, Holland's Paul van Tongeren, and Université de Montréal professor Louise Marcil.

**IREF**

Institut de recherches et d'études féministes (IREF) organise un débat-midi "Les femmes et les Élections fédérales" jeudi, le 21 octobre au Pavillon Hubert-Aquin, 1255, rue Saint-Denis, Salle A3025. La conférencière invitée est Manon Tremblay, professeure au département de science politique de l'Université d'Ottawa. Renseignements: 987-6587.

**Latin America Committee**

Francisco Rodrigues will give a presentation of his book *Vida para los que vienen después en El Salvador* on Friday, October 22 at 19:00 in room 651 of the Hall Bldg. Tools for Peace (Nicaragua) will collect donations of household or educational items in lieu of an admission fee. This presentation will be given in Spanish with English translation. For info: call 7410.

## EVENTS CONTINUED

### **Muriel V. Roscoe Annual Lecture**

The Alumnae Society of McGill and MCRTW invite you to hear Carolyn Heilbrun (Amanda Cross) who will present a lecture on "Biographies and Women's Lives" Tuesday, October 26 at 18:00 at McGill's Leacock Bldg, Room 132.

### **Spinning the Moon**

The Spiritual Science Fellowship invites you to hear Luisah Teish, a performance storyteller who will conduct a workshop examining the seven sacred characters in African folklore. The workshop takes place Saturday and Sunday, November 20 & 21 at 1974 de Maisonneuve Blvd. W. Cost: \$75 each day. Call 937-8359 for complete information.

### **Seniors Against Abuse**

The CLSC at René-Cassin is hosting an orientation meeting about Elder Abuse on November 11 from 10:00 -12:00 at 5800 Cavendish Blvd. Call Amy Desperito at 488-9163 for complete information.

### **CALL FOR SUBMISSIONS**

The SdeB *Bulletin* invites submissions for a special issue on Women and Oral Histories, and are looking for theoretical and other approaches to this topic. Other materials (poetry, drawings, book and film reviews) are also welcome. Please direct your submissions to the attention of Dr. Kaarina Kailo before November 20, 1993.

### **CALL FOR PAPERS**

The Women's Caucus of the Graduate Program in Political Science is planning a conference at York University in Toronto, March 19 & 20, 1994. The title of the conference is "Citizenship, Identity, Community: Feminists (Re)Present the Political." Submissions are due January 7, 1994.

**Canadian Women's Studies** invites submission essays, true stories, poetry and/or other artwork are for two future issues: Racism and Gender (winter 1994) and Women and Health for (Spring 1994). Deadlines are November 30, 1993, and January 31, 1994, respectively.

### **CONFERENCE/COLLOQUE**

#### **IREF congrès**

Institut de recherches et d'études féministes organise le 62e congrès de l'ACFAS section d'études féministes du 16 au 20 mai 1994 à l'Université du Québec à Montréal sous le thème "Sciences en mouvement." En même temps, la section d'études féministes célèbre le 20e anniversaire des études féministes. Pour renseignements: Jacqueline Lamothe, directrice de l'Institut, 987-8454. Voir le babillard "academic."

### **JOBS**

University of Northern British Columbia, International Studies, History and Political Science, 3 positions in Scandinavian Language, History and Political Science. Please refer to the "jobs" board for complete information.

University of Victoria, Centre for Studies in Religion and Society, non-stipendiary Visiting Research Fellowships 1994-95. Apply before January 31, 1994.

### **GRANTS**

The Canadian-Scandinavian Foundation Grant Program is offering scholarships and grants for Studies and Research in Scandinavia. Please refer to the "jobs" board for complete information or call 398-4304. Applications are due January 31, 1994.

#### NEWS OF INTEREST

At the recent CSTHA conference, Dr. Marianne Ainley was elected President of the Canadian Science and Technology Historical Association.

Please note: Numerous materials have been posted on the bulletin boards concerning new videos, books, art exhibitions subscriptions, election newsletters and as well as appeals for charitable donations.

Donations for the "Earthquake-India Relief Fund" should be directed to the Department of Mechanical Engineering, H-549. Cheques, money orders or drafts over \$15 will be eligible for tax receipts.

Eva Kuper, Coordinator of Volunteer Services at the CLSC René-Cassin is looking for volunteers to work with children, act as big brothers/sisters, perform office work, drive, and visit shut-ins, etc. If you have a few hours a week to be a volunteer, Eva at 488-9163.

Linda Wexler, coordinator of volunteer Jewish Family Services, is also recruiting volunteers to work with all age groups in tutoring, house calls, and the operation of their goodwill store. Call Linda at 342-0000, local 228.

Notice of move: Advocacy & Support (ext.3536) Services, Services for Disabled Students (ext.3536) and Legal Information (ext.4960) have all moved to L-AD 130.